



Colour, Craft and Chat

Tuesdays 2:30pm

May 4 and **18**

Conversation Commons

Join the lively debate which asks: Could we live in a world without rules?

Wed May 19 10:30am

Hands-on Art Workshop

Mondays 2pm

May 3, 10, 17 and **31**

Relaxation and Wellness Online/Phone

Visualized meditation followed by wellness tips.

Fri May 28 10:30am

Tissue Paper Flowers

Thu May 6 2:30pm

Noon Hour Concert

Fridays 12pm

May 7 Anita Best

May 14 Angela Nethersole

May 28 Northern Lights

Hamilton Reads Launch

May 5



Find out which book everyone in the City should read this year. Stay tuned to hpl.ca for details.

BOOK CLUBS

Fri May 7 11am

The Little Paris Bookshop

by Nina George

Wed May 12 11am

The Painter's Craft

by S.N. Statham

Thu May 13 11am

Warlight by Michael Ondaatje

Mon May 17 4pm

The Lost City of the Monkey God

by Douglas Preston

Thu May 27 11am

The Only Cafe

by Linden MacIntyre



Newcomer Learning Centre



English Conversation Circle

Practise speaking English in a small group, online.

Tuesdays 3pm **May 4, 11, 18** and **25**

Thursdays 3pm **May 6, 13, 20** and **27**

For more information about the Newcomer Learning Centre, visit hpl.ca/nlc.

Stratford Lecture Series

Watch these and other Stratford lectures anytime on [HPL's Stratford Lecture Series 2021 Playlist on YouTube](#).



Wed May 12

Learn about storytelling through movement from Toronto-based actor, playwright, producer, choreographer and educator Cynthia Jimenez-Hicks.

Wed May 26

Explore some of the best of what Shakespeare has to offer — language, high stakes drama and complex characters — from Beck Lloyd, a Toronto-based actor, theatre creator and educator.

OLDER ADULT PROGRAMS - MAY 2021

TUESDAYS

Tue

Young at Heart

Tuesdays 10:30am

Connect online with others age 55 and older for fun and games.

May 4, 11, 18 and 25



WEDNESDAYS

Wed

Artist-led Watercolour Workshop for Seniors

Wednesdays 10am

Learn basic watercolour techniques online. Supplies included.

May 5, 12, 19 and 26

Writing, Aging and Spirit

Wednesdays 1pm

Using quotes and poems as writing prompts, participants are encouraged to discuss and write about their life experiences in this two-session program.

May 19 and 26

FRIDAYS

Fri

Story Break with HPL



Fridays 10am

Listen to stories one week, chat about books the next.

May 7, 14, 21 and 28

More Older Adult Programs:
hpl.ca/events

TEEN PROGRAMS - MAY 2021

Indigenous Youth Book Club

Wednesdays 6:30pm

Read and discuss Indigenous literature among fellow book lovers ages 15-30.

May 5, 12, 19 and 26

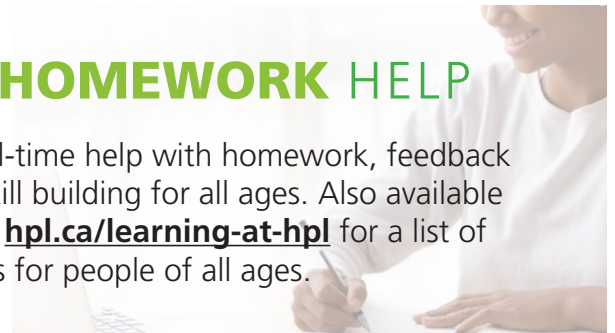


brainfuse

HelpNow

HOMESCHOOL HELP

Brainfuse is real-time help with homework, feedback on essays and skill building for all ages. Also available in French. Go to hpl.ca/learning-at-hpl for a list of helpful resources for people of all ages.



Forest of Reading

Check out hpl.ca's catalogue for several reading lists created by our Junior Librarian in eResidence and HPL Staff.

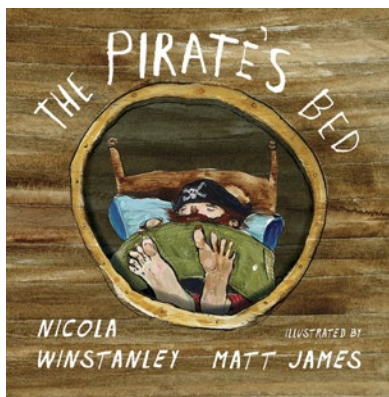
Take a scenic hike through these Forest of Reading lists of books by Canadian authors and illustrators.

Kids Grades 4-8 Non-fiction: **Yellow Cedar**

Kids Grades 7-8: **Red Maple**



View More Online Teen Programs: hpl.ca/events



Hamilton Children's Choir Spring Concert

Hamilton author Nicola Winstanley's picture book, *The Pirate's Bed* comes to life in song through choral performances.

Sat May 15 2pm



(Ages 4-12)

Make cool stuff with our activity sheets at hpl.ca/discover-at-home.

Tween Book Club

Chat about your favourite titles, discover new ones and meet friends.

Sat May 15 11am

Frontier College Learning Programs (Grades 3-12)

Tuesdays 5pm

Get free help with homework for children in Grades 3-12 from Frontier College. [Learn more about Frontier College programs.](#)

May 4, 11, 18 and **25**

Code Club

(Ages 8-12)

Mondays 4pm

Learn the basics and how to program interactive stories, games and animations using Scratch.

May 3, 10, 17 and **31**

Code Club HTML/CSS

(Ages 10-12)

Fridays 4pm

Suitable for those who have experience with coding (ex. Scratch and Python).

May 7, 14, 21 and **28**

Watch on Youtube

Watch at hpl.ca/storytime, or on HPL's **Puppet Show**, **Storytime**, **ABCs-123s** or **Songs and Rhymes** Playlists on YouTube.

(Birth-Age 4)

Family Storytime

Thu May 6 11am

ABCs-123s

Thu May 20 11am

(Birth-Age 8)

Puppet Show

Thu May 13 11am

Songs and Rhymes

Thu May 27 11am



Forest FRIDAYS

(Ages 4-12)

Take a scenic hike through these Forest of Reading lists of books by Canadian authors and illustrators.

Kids K-Gr2
Blue Spruce

Kids Gr 3-6
Silver Birch Fiction

Kids Gr 3-4
Silver Birch Express

Kids Gr 4-8
Yellow Cedar